

Exploring, with iwi, ways of using mātauranga, tikanga, and kaupapa to improve the socioeconomic, built infrastructure, and earthquake resilience of tangata whenua.

Building the Māori seismic research workforce capability and engagement between emerging Māori researchers and Māori communities. Mātauranga Māori forms the foundation for working with iwi and hapū to ensure culturally relevant research that supports the earthquake resilience aspirations of tangata whenua.

## **Research Areas**

- Supporting Māori researchers
- Reviewing mātauranga Māori in the tertiary curriculum
- Atlas of pā and marae resilience

- Assessing the potential of mīmiro for seismic engineering using Tānewhirinaki
- Māori understandings and cultural technologies associated with seismic risk communication

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